

LOCAL ITEMS.

Go to Nosler's for Valentines. Go to the W. R. C. entertainment to-night. Bert McDuffee returned from Josephine county yesterday. Mr. D. H. Prewett, of Bear creek, spent several days in town last week. For bargains in all kinds of drugs and medicines, go to J. H. Nosler's. There will be a grand masquerade ball given at Myrtle Point on the 22nd inst. Mr. Cahn, the hide and fur man, of Portland, has been on the river several days. Mr. J. Walser, of Randolph, made our town a flying business visit on Saturday. The genial smile of Edward Nelson, of Norway, was to be seen on our streets Friday. Remember the change in the time of the meeting of the Sunday school, to half past two. We recognize the receipt of a supply of wedding cake from the lately married couple, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Owens. Charley Felter's mother and brother, Ward, arrived here yesterday and went to Bandon with a view to locating there. Johnny Hume returned from the bay Friday, and proceeded down the river. He is making preparations for a big salmon catch. Services in Coquille City, every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; prayer meeting every Thursday at 7 p. m.—W. B. Smith, P. C. All in favor of practicing singing are requested to come out early, Thursday evening, before prayer meeting. Corce at first bell. Electric Bitters will cure liver and stomach complaints. To try it is to be cured and convinced. Warranted by J. H. Nosler, druggist. Mr. E. W. Stillwell living half a mile north of this place, on the bay road, sold his farm last week to Mr. J. W. Sanford, of Josephine county, for \$2,000. Any of the O. N. G. boys wishing a copy of tactics can obtain the same by calling on J. J. Wilson, the jeweler, at his shop on Front street, at East end. Mr. and Mrs. Hersey, of Halls creek, were in town Thursday, for the purpose of having some painful teeth of Mrs. H's extracted. They returned home on Friday. Mr. George Langdon, who has been employed in the Blanco hotel at Marshfield, for the past three years, came over to this place Saturday, and will remain with his parents, who live in this place. Uncle John Rimmer, of Halls creek, paid us a pleasant call last Wednesday, and made himself solid for another year's reading matter, by subscribing for the HERALD and other papers with which we club. After being shut down several days, on account of high water, the mill in this place started up on full time Monday a week ago. This mill is doing a good business under the efficient management of Mr. J. A. Lyons. Mr. George Hartman, of the Sixes mines, spent several days in town last week. He had with him some of the most beautiful specimens of coarse gold, which he had collected in that region, we have ever seen. Mrs. Anna Nelson, of Norway, lately received the full amount of her late husband's policy, held against the life insurance department of the Order of Red Cross, of which he was a member, belonging to Myrtle Point comandry. On Friday Mr. Clark Bullard sent, from his farm on Halls Prairie, a colt which belongs to Wm. Hammerburg, of the lower river to its owners by steamer. This was one of the finest looking animals we have seen, being of the Woodbury stock; descendant of Sammy Tilden. Mr. W. L. Dixon, of Myrtle Point, who went to California a short time since to look after some property he had purchased without seeing it, returned Friday, and judging from the way he talked, and the genial smile on his countenance, we should judge he is well pleased with his bargain. The property is at Nioma, San Luis Obispo county, a flourishing little place, just recently ushered into existence.

Kill the prodigal, the fatted calf has come home. Bird Nosler is a victim of the measles in Portland. Mr. Frank Decker, of Myrtle Point, was in town yesterday. Mr. Long and family of the East are visiting Hon. R. H. Rosa whose sister Mrs L. is. Mr. R. H. Rosa, of Bandon, returned home on Wednesday, from San Francisco. Now is the time to come forward and pay that 1 to 5 years subscription you owe the HERALD. Mr. Joe Nay, of Curry county, passed through this place Thursday, en route to Port Orford. The HERALD wants a correspondent in each precinct in the county to give the local happenings. The children's Home Mission society was organized at this place Saturday last with a full corps of officers. The Ceres went down to the mouth of the river Sunday, was beached and her propeller shaft fittings replaced by new ones. The Woman Suffrage bill has passed and been signed by the governor of Washington Territory. It is thought it will stick this time. Mrs. S. E. Robinson is putting up a building on the site of last week's fire on Front street to be occupied by Johnson & Drane's meat market. Geo. Majory, of Myrtle Point, paid Bandon a visit last week calling on us en-route. He informs us that he will bring his family in from the valley soon. Mr. Dewitt Clinton, of the North fork was in town Saturday. He tells us that his sheep are looking fine, and that stock generally are doing well in that part. Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Schweers wish to return their sincere thanks for kindnesses rendered them during the illness and death, inflicting their family recently. A new saw mill is to be built on Ross' Point on the bay the coming season, J. A. Yoakam, we understand being interested in negotiations for the new company. Work on an extensive scale on the part of the O. S. I. company is said to be an assured fact in the near future, including the completion of the Sumner railroad to this place. The report of Mr. H. Clein's death given in last week's HERALD turns out to be false. We received a letter from him recently and he says he is getting along nicely, and will be home by or before the first of May. Work is being pushed on this side of the mountain on the road across to North Coquille. Ye Northforkers, come along with your work; there is little over a mile of the grade uncompleted on our side. J. J. Wilson, of this place, will furnish Reed's tactics to any one in H. K and G companies for just what they cost him postage added. He will also order any blanks, etc. for either company if requested. Messrs. Johnson & Drane wish us to express their sincere thanks for the assistance rendered in removing their goods during the late fire in this place. Such assistance will be gratefully remembered. Mrs. Carothers, of this place who paid Mrs. Pershbaker a week's visit during her present illness, returned home on Saturday. She informs us, and we are glad to state that Mrs. P. is much better. Messrs C. E. Edwards and H. Dalnas, of Myrtle Point, were in town Saturday. They say they are getting along nicely with their sawmill, and that it will be ready to run within two months or less time. Dr. A. LaVance arrived here yesterday from Kansas, and proceeded up to J. P. Easter's place on Fishtrap, he being an acquaintance of the latter. He was accompanied by Homer Easter, who is in ill health, who has come to visit his uncle. J. A. Dean, the editor of the HERALD, returned home from the East by the last steamer and was heartily welcomed by his friends here. He brought many mementoes of the olden times, among the rest being a "possum and a big box of persimons. His little son, Master Lorin, accompanied him and stood the trip manfully.

Heartfelt Thanks. Ed. HERALD:—We tender our thanks to all who so nobly assisted in saving to us our property from fire on Wednesday morning. We especially tender our thanks to the brave boys who so manfully stood by us and gave us their assistance, when so much needed, without thought of recompense. Having nothing at stake which they could lose by fire, their noble exertions were therefore unselfish and deserve with ours the thanks of the whole community. Charles Olive, Alice L. Olive. Coquille City, Feb. 9, '88. It was announced in church Sunday evening a week ago, that all interested in improving the singing of this place, should meet at that place the following Saturday evening to organize a choir, and only about twelve persons met. They "got in" and tried, but only to show that the sad neglect and want of a leader and practice. Now, we have a house nicely seated that will only cost 50cets each meeting, with a splendid organ that the good people of the Sunday school offer the free use of. There are between fifty and seventy-five children here that are just the right age to begin learning to sing, and no attention given them. What would be nicer than to go out once a week with our children and hear them sing? As there are so many organizations which meet on Saturday evening it would be better to meet earlier in the week. A WESTERN MAGAZINE.—The January number of The West Shore though somewhat delayed in publication by reason of its change of form and increase of size, has reached us, accompanied by an elegant oleograph in nine colors. This is a splendid marine view, showing a large ocean steamer crossing out to sea from the mouth of the Columbia river. The engraving is richly colored and full of life. It is printed on heavy plate paper and is worth a good frame. The magazine itself is a specially fine one, having numerous illustrations tinted in the pages and the reading matter. As usual, it is full of information about the great Northwest. Published by L. Samuel, Portland, Oregon, at \$2.50 per year. The January number and oleograph sent postage free to any address for 50 cents. It will be seen by referring to our advertising column that G. A. Brown has opened out the Bandon hotel in first-class order. Mr. Brown is an old pioneer of this county, and by his square dealing he has secured the friendship of a large circle of the people on the Coquille river, and no doubt he will receive a good share of the patronage of the traveling public. The house is in close proximity to the steamboat landing, and so situated that a fine view can be had of the bay and the bar at the mouth of the river. The rooms are large and cleanly kept, nice spring beds in the best of order are found in the sleeping apartments. The table is first-class, and is covered with the best the market affords, prepared and cooked in the best manner, and the kindest of attention given to guests. No doubt Mr. Brown's many friends of the upper river will call on him when they visit that justly popular resort "The Bandon Beach." Card of Thanks. Mrs. S. E. Robinson, of this place, takes their means of returning to her many friends, her sincere thanks, for this able assistance rendered during the burning of her building, last Tuesday night. For Sale. I have two logging teams, and will sell one team cheap for cash. For particulars apply to J. E. Taylor, Parkersburg, Or. FOR SALE. My Thoroughbred, Educated Stallion, POCO TEMPO. Pedigree and description sent on application Miles Simpson, Dora, Oregon.

Norway Items. Aaron Myers has returned from Gardiner. Daniel Root's little daughter, aged one year and ten bays, died last Monday morning. The high water did some damage to some of the farmers. Dr. Murphy came to town the other day and he hadn't been in town more than a half an hour when some of our neighbor's chickens set up an unearthly squall. Norway chickens are afraid of doctors and preachers. Mrs. Myers is sorely afflicted with the rheumatism. A. Carl went over to the bay this week. Mrs. August Carl is very sick. Thos. Barklow is improving the Dement farm. We have a spelling school in town every Thursday night, conducted by Prof. James Barklow. No doubt some of the loggers will take up their old trade this summer, as there will be a saw mill built at Myrtle Point. Those that want to purchase town property should do so immediately as the mill is likely to cause a boom. The Yankee extends his heartfelt sympathy to Jake Wise. Yankee. Marshfield Items. The steamer Arago arrived Saturday morning. The masquerade given by the Lotus club on the 12th inst. was a success in every respect. Madam rumor says that a new saw mill will be built at Duies rock this coming spring, capacity of the mill to be 75 thousand feet per day. Petty thieves are getting to be quite numerous in Marshfield. We notice Capt. John Snyder in town again. Some of the Marshfield lassies say they like to see him over this way, but we would advise him to go slow, as the other fellow has fire in his eye. J. S. Jones has moved on the farm lately purchased of Wm. Hall. A. M. Crawford returned yesterday from California, where he has been for several weeks on business. H. Teachers Examination. There will be a public examination for teachers at Coquille City Wednesday, Feb. 23, commencing at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day. D. L. Rood, K. H. Hansen, Examining Com. A. J. Sherwood. Card of Thanks. Mr. L. Harlocker, of Empire City, wishes to return his heartfelt thanks for the many favors received by him at the hands of the good people of that place, during the late and fatal illness of that one, to him dear as his own life. He further adds that such assistance rendered at a time like this is never forgotten. A FRAGMENT. Say, don't you know the dream of love, That gleams through sentimental bars, May be an angel from above Or but a frail alluring star? And can you rest on such a dream? It cannot blind me by its light, I've floated in love's strongest beam, I've circled in love's veering flight. I have been washed and flattened out, And sat upon by damned shells fair, But if I know what I'm about For all their smiles I do not care. Lodi. There will be an annual meeting of the stock-holders of the Myrtle Point Racing Association, at Myrtle Point, on Saturday, Feb. 25, '88 at 2 o'clock p. m., to elect officers for the ensuing year, and transact other business. G. D. Elgin. Jan. 23, 1888. All Accounts must be Settled. Please notice in this week's HERALD, the account of the sale of our hardware business at Coquille City. We have turned our books over to A. J. Sherwood, who is directed to collect immediately, all accounts due us therein. Respectfully Yours, Whitney & O'Connell. DIED. At her late residence in Dexter, Lane county, Oregon, Jan. 25, 1888 of Lung fever, Mrs. Mary J. Barr aged 61 years, and 6 months. She leaves husband, two sons a daughter and five grand children to mourn her sudden departure. The remains were interred in the Pleasant Hill cemetery at two o'clock p. m. on the 27th inst.

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